

United States District Court
For the Western District of Pennsylvania

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

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Plaintiff,

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Vs.

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Case No. CR 02-40 Erie

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JOHN COOLEY

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Defendant.

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HEARING ON Re-Sentencing

Before Judge Sean J. McLaughlin

Christian A. Trabold

Bruce Sandmeyer

Appear for Plaintiff

Appear for Defendant

Hearing begun 1:40 p.m. 10/18/05

Hearing adjourned to _____

Hearing concluded C.A.V. 2:20 p.m.

Stenographer Ron Bench

Clerk Nicole Kierzek

WITNESSES:

Character Witnesses: Owen Cooley

Mary Taylor

J & C to Follow

Defendant's Group -A exhibits attached

February 7, 2003

Judge Sean J McLaughlin
Federal Courthouse
617 State Street
Room 240
Erie, Pennsylvania 16501

Your Honor,

I can say I have known John all of his life, through his grandmother and mother, and I have never to my knowledge known him to be a violent or vindictive person.

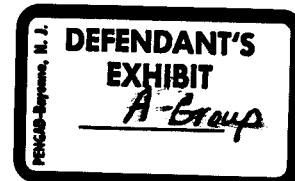
I also have no reason to feel John would be a threat to anyone if he is given a chance to prove the issued at hand are false and he is a worthy citizen.

I have known John to be not only a loving father, husband, but a loving son.

Judge in this day and age where it seems we as children of God seem to be our own worst enemies, by striking out at one another in some form, ~~so I am~~ sure your wisdom and life experiences in this capacity will enable you to make a correct decision in this matter.

Your patience Judge,
Sincerely,

Rev. Marie McRae





The Victory Christian Corporation

The Victory Christian Center of Erie, Inc.

Bishop's Institute of Applied Sciences & Biblical Studies

660 Hess Avenue, Erie, PA 16503

814-455-0256 • Fax 814-874-3063

Angela Vincent - Administrator

Leon Jackson - Chief of Staff

The Rt. Rev.
Dwane Brock - Bishop

January 31, 2003

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

My name is Dwane Brock, the Episcopal leader and Chief Executive Officer of the Victory Christian Corporation. I have served as John Cooley's Bishop for a number of years. And prior to being his Bishop, I served as his Pastor.

I have known Mr. Cooley as a good family man who is very protective of his family, wife, children and grandchildren. I have never known him to be involved in any violent activity whatsoever. Is He a threat to the community or anyone else, I say that in my Episcopai judgment that He is not. I pray sir, that your judgment of Him will be tempered with wisdom and mercy.

Sincerely and Respectfully,

Bishop Dwane Brock

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Bishop Dwane Brock



Joseph A. Gerace, Sheriff

CHAUTAUQUA COUNTY JAIL CHAPLAINCY COMMITTEE

Ministering to Those in Jail

P.O. Box 128 • Mayville, New York 14757 • Phone: (716) 753-4361

12/17/03

Honorable Sean McLaughlin
175 Park Av.
Erie, PA 16507

Your Honor,

This letter is in regards to one John Cooley. John was an inmate in our facility for some time. I personally had the opportunity and pleasure of getting to know John. In that time I was impressed with his desire to learn. This man changed during his stay here and truly became a Christian. He took it upon himself to start and continue a bible study in the POD area and involved a number of others in the teachings of our Lord. He also participated in our 12 step program and the bible study offered here.

I feel that John has a lot to offer to others to help them change and turn some lives around. Please consider this man and what positive blessings he has to offer to others.

In His Service,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Dennis Johnson".

Dennis Johnson, Chaplain

A handwritten note in black ink. The text "May God Continue to bless" is written in a cursive, flowing style. Below it, "Keep you" is written in a smaller, more formal script.

John West 4th
West 1850 7
true PA

Theresa & Dennis 431 1/2 Smith St.
Lemmy Martin 925 W. 4th Street 1052
Street 320 Plum St. 1052

NAME	ADDRESS	ZIP
Dorothy Jo Cooley Mabel J. H.	1978 Prospect Ave Ave 2115 Hershey Ave	16510 16509
John A. O'neil	1153 Commonwealth Ave	16510
REV. Robert J. Dell SN	331 MCTZ 8218	16508
May Celia 1551 Howard	1140 WEST 6TH ST 1975 1/2 Prospect Ave	16507 16510
Wendy Davis	118 E 28th	16504
Patricia Miller	2613 Holland	16504
Tom Lawrence	643 E 4th Str	16507
DAVID A. NORTON	207 Jackson Ave	16514
117th & H. Johnson	P.O. BOX 225 ERIE, PA.	16507
	2004 S. Head Ave	16510
	200 S. 4th Ave	16510
Tracy Hartman	202 Elmwood Ave	16510
Julie Deter	2005 School Ave	16510
Gloria Cooley	2010 Brookline Ave	16510
Robert W. Holden	2005 School Ave	16510
Terri M. Cooley	2005 School Ave	16510
Joe L. Cooley	2005 School Ave	16510
Kathy Stephens	2010 School Ave	16510
Carol L. Sacks	1339 E 38th St	16504
Linton Miller	2004 School Ave	16510
William Morris	1978 PROSPECT AVE.	16510
Kenji H. Jr.	1602 1/2 Buffalo Rd.	16510
Grace Johnson	1115 E 26th St	16504
Glenda M. Moore	402 Myrtle	16510
Barry S.	602 Myrtle	16507
Glennell Berle	859 East 26 St	16523
Eric	2344 Walnut St	16518
Rev. Martha Thelma Patrick	1909 W. 3rd St. 300	16505
Passenger Plate	3815 Dexter Ave	16504
Carrie Knight	1206 East 26th Rd	16507
Patricia Williams	1-117 Reed St	16503
W. F. Thomas	1078 Prospect Ave	16510
Uma Neal	341 West 2nd	16507

NAME	ADDRESS	ZIP
Shuendolyn Cooley	503 Lighthouse St	16507
Deedie Tate	2109 Camphausen Ave	16510
Jeanne Ferguson	1353 East 20th St.	16503
Denise Cook	327 West 16th	16502
Jeanne Niedelberg	1129 E. 4th St.	16507
Leanne M. Ceder	704 East 6th Street	16507
Debbie L. Laddig	746 B. Tacoma Rd Apt. 4	16511
Debbie DeLoach	247 E. 22nd St.	16503
Jackie Johnson	3136 Traditions Blvd.	16510
Deanne Edom	2112 Pearl St	16510
Sharon Ottum	2112 Pearl St	16510
Tony Park	2346 E 26th St	16510
Shawn Warner	454 E 5th St.	16507
Suey Wallace	2112 Pearl St.	16510
Julie R. Chastell	701 B. Sandea	16503
Judy Edom	501 Lighthouse St.	16507
Dee Dee Myers	4624 5th	16509
Debbie Maydell	2622 1/2 Myne St	16504
Debie Hassett	1221 East 27th St	16504
Debra Lynn Gilman	518 Chestnut	16507
Shandra Preston	137 E 21st	16503
Edmund Figueria	2650 E. Linnwood Park Drive	16508

NAME	ADDRESS	ZIP
BILL Gore	5121 CHERRY ST	16509
Veronica Jones	1242 EAST 23rd	16503
Emmanuel Tatz	2058 Buffalo Rd	16510
Robert Neavins	735 EAST 25th	16503
Martial E Hollingsworth	623 E 22nd	16503
Norman Johnson William Stace	2040 E. 18th	16510
Richlene Williams	1008 German St	16503
Thelma Smith	347 W 3rd	16507
Trina Norton	240 Bluest 18th	16502
Connie Williams	1719 Walnut St	16502
Sherry	1808 F Buffalo Rd Apt 2	16510
Wendell Hall	831 South Park Ave	16502
Rebecca Adams	624 East 5th upper	16507
Renley Tate	2062 Buffalo Rd	16510
Curtis Buck	5149 Henderson Rd	16509
Dilly Wylie	1028 E 11th Street	16503
Satire TAT	345 E 14th Street	16503
Tommy Dunlap	348 E 11th ST	16503
Teddy Smith	1837 Buffalo Rd	16503
Jillian Young	932 W 5th Blvd Apt	16509
Erin S. Pernod	1950 EAST 9th St	16510
Mary Schenck	11 11 11	16510
Lewis Lee McWay	11 11 11	16510
Carolynne Sepp	2125 Jones ST	16510
Genie P. Beck	1920 CampHouse	16510
Julie Tuohig	1208 WEST 11ST	16502
Patricia Williams	2130 E 21st St	16503
Rhoda Martin	1850 A 4 Buffalo Rd	16510
W. Lynn Norton	462 Wilson	16507
Shirley 2. McAff	20 Wallace	16503
Allie Pater	1162 EAST 33 ST	16504
Damon Brown	1226 Buffalo Rd. 1	16503
Veronica Brown	955 E. 2nd	16503
Mark Delowke	823 Maple St	16507
Keith Caruso	809 10th	16502

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PROGRAM REVIEW REPORT

06-04-2005
07:54:54

INSTITUTION: HAZ HAZELTON USP

NAME.....: COOLEY, JOHN
RESIDENCE...: ERIE, PA 16503 REG. NO: 20139-068TYPE OF REVIEW.....: INITIAL CLASSIFICATION/PROGRAM REVIEW
NEXT REVIEW DATE....: November 2005PROJ. RELEASE DATE..: UNKNOWN
PAROLE HEARING DATE.: NONE RELEASE METHOD.: LIFE
HEARING TYPE...: NONEDATE OF NEXT CUSTODY REVIEW: November 2005 DETAINERS (Y/N): NCIM STATUS (Y/N)....: Y✓ IF YES, RECONCILED (Y/N): Yes

PENDING CHARGES.....:

OFFENDER IS SUBJECT TO NOTIFICATION UNDER 18 U.S.C. 4042(B) (Y/N)....: Yes
IF YES - CIRCLE ONE DRUG TRAFFICKING/CURRENT VIOLENCE/PAST VIOLENCE

CATEGORY	CURRENT ASSIGNMENT	EFF DATE	TIME	
CMA	PROG RPT	NEXT PROGRESS REPORT DUE DATE	04-03-2008	1319
CMA	RPP NEEDS	RELEASE PREP PGM NEEDS	06-01-2004	1354
CMA	V94 CDA913	V94 Curr DRG TRAF ON/AFT 91394	06-01-2004	1353
CMA	V94 PV	V94 PAST VIOLENCE	06-01-2004	1353
CUS	IN	IN CUSTODY	03-17-2004	0817
DRG	DRG I NONE	NO DRUG INTERVIEW REQUIRED	06-01-2004	1353
EDI	ESL HAS	ENGLISH PROFICIENT	06-23-2004	1221
EDI	GED HAS	COMPLETED GED OR HS DIPLOMA	06-23-2004	1427
FRP	COMPLT	<u>FINANC RESP-COMPLETED</u>	07-09-2004	0752
LEV	HIGH	SECURITY CLASSIFICATION HIGH	03-15-2004	1134
MDS	REG DUTY	NO MEDICAL RESTR--REGULAR DUTY	05-05-2005	1455
MDS	YES F/S	CLEARED FOR FOOD SERVICE	05-05-2005	1456
QTR	E03-118L	HOUSE E/RANGE 03/BED 118L	05-13-2005	1021
RLG	PROTESTANT	PROTESTANT	08-29-2004	1840
WRK	DINING AM	DINING ROOM AM DETAIL✓	05-18-2005	0001

WORK PERFORMANCE RATING: Cooley has been assigned to the Food Service Dining Room AM detail since May 18, 2005. He has not received any work performance to date.
 INCIDENT REPORTS SINCE LAST PROGRAM REVIEW: Cooley has not received any incident Reports during his incarceration. His Reports from ~~SP~~ USP Allenwood PA were good.

FRP PLAN/PROGRESS: TRUST FUND DEPOSITS PAST 6 MO: \$ —FRP PAYMENTS PAST 6 MO: \$ — OBLG BALANCE: \$ 0CURRENT FRP PLAN: \$ 0 PAYMENTS COMMENSURATE: YES — / NO —

Cooley has paid his \$ 100 Felony Assessment

TRAINING CERTIFICATE

PRESENTED TO

JOHN COOLEY

FOR SUCCESSFULLY COMPLETING THE
COURSE FOR

TUTOR TRAINING

GIVEN AT U.S.P. HAZELTON, SUMMER 2005

THE TUTOR TRAINING COURSE PREPARED THE STUDENT TO USE EFFECTIVE COMMUNICATION AND TEACHING STRATEGIES IN ORDER TO SET THE STANDARDS OF EDUCATIONAL ACHIEVEMENT IN U.S.P. HAZELTON'S EDUCATION DEPARTMENT.

B. Wozne

Signature

25 July 2005

Date

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B. W. John

Signature

25 July 2005

Date

Adult Continuing Education

Certification of

Completion

Awarded to:

John Cooley

Is hereby acknowledged by the undersigned for completion of the

GED Refresher Course

Requiring 22 hours of training given this 21st, day of August, 2004


Mr. Robert Clark
Literacy Coordinator

United States Penitentiary, Allenwood Complex, White Deer, Pennsylvania

OSHA
10-HOUR GENERAL INDUSTRY
SAFETY & HEALTH
OUTREACH TRAINING PROGRAM

PRESENTED TO

JOHN COOLEY

INTRODUCTION TO OSHA
PERSONAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT
HAZARD COMMUNICATION
FLAMMABLE AND COMBUSTIBLE LIQUIDS

MEANS OF EGRESS AND FIRE PROTECTION
ELECTRICAL AND LOCKOUT/TAGOUT
WALKING AND WORKING SURFACES
MACHINE GUARDING

January 2005
Date

R.M. Musick
Instructor

Career Resource Center

Certificate of Completion

Awarded to:

John H. Cooley Jr.

For participation in the U.S.P. Allenwood
Mock Job Site Workshop
Given this day December 15th, 2004

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Career Resource Coordinator
Mr. E. Smith

*Certification of
Completion
Awarded to:*

John H. Cooley Jr.

For participation in the USP Allenwood

Job Interview Seminar

Given this day December 8th, 2004

D. Manney

Pennsylvania CareerLink Instructor
Ms. D. Manney

J. E. Smith

Career Resource Coordinator
Mr. E. Smith

Career Resource Center

Career Interest Inventory

Awarded to:

John Cooley Jr.

Given this day October 25th, 2004

E. Smith
Career Resource Coordinator

Mr. E. Smith

E. Sheatler
Seminar Instructor
Mrs. E. Sheatler

Career Resource Center

Career Interest Inventory

Awarded to:

John Cooley Jr.

Given this day April 25th, 2005

L. D. S.

Career Resource Coordinator

Mr. E. Smith

C. Sheatler

Seminar Instructor

Mrs. E. Sheatler

Career Resource Center

Certificate of Completion

Awarded to:

John H. Cooley Jr.

*For participation in the U.S.P. Allenwood
Resume writing skills Workshop
Given this day March 14th, 2005*

D. Manney
Pennsylvania CareerLink
Ms. D. Manney

E. Smith
Career Resource Coordinator
Mr. E. Smith



Certification of Completion

Awarded to:

John Cooley

For participation in the USP Allenwood

Job Search Seminar

Given this day January 10th, 2005

D. Manney

Pennsylvania CareerLink

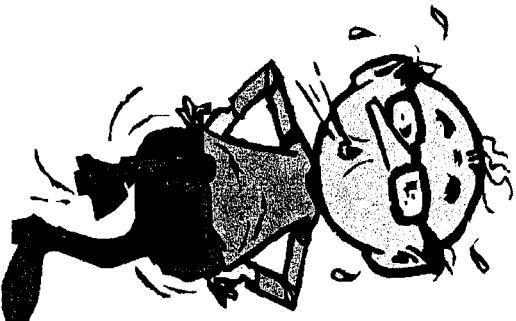
Ms. D. Manney

E. Smith

Career Resource Coordinator

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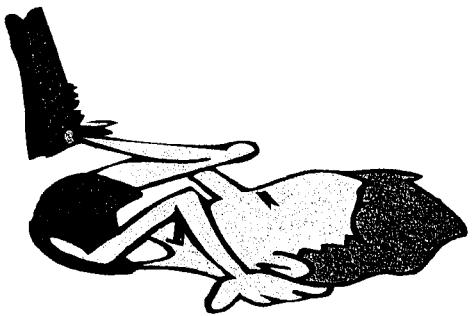
CERTIFICATE OF COMPLETION



This is to certify that the under
named participant has successfully
completed U.S.P. Hazelton's

Exercise Class.

John H. Cooley Jr.



U.S.P. Hazelton

Exercise Program

C.J. Gaul, Supervisor of Recreation

R. Ringer, Recreation Specialist

HAZ3S *
PAGE 001 OF 001 *INMATE EDUCATION DATA
TRANSCRIPT* 09-01-2005
* 14:01:48REGISTER NO: 20139-068 NAME..: COOLEY
FORMAT.....: TRANSCRIPT RSP OF: HAZ-HAZELTON USP

FUNC: PRT

----- EDUCATION INFORMATION -----

FACL	ASSIGNMENT	DESCRIPTION	START DATE/TIME	STOP DATE/TIME
HAZ	ESL HAS	ENGLISH PROFICIENT	06-23-2004	1221 CURRENT
HAZ	GED HAS	COMPLETED GED OR HS DIPLOMA	06-23-2004	1427 CURRENT

----- EDUCATION COURSES -----

SUB-FACL	DESCRIPTION	START DATE	STOP DATE	EVNT	AC	LV	HRS
HAZ	BIBLE THEOLOGY - College	09-23-2004	08-24-2005	P	C	P	12 - Credit,
HAZ	PG TUTOR TRAINING M 6:30-7:30	06-28-2005	07-29-2005	P	C	P	10
ALP	CRC-CAREER INVENTORY	04-25-2005	04-25-2005	P	C	P	2
ALP	CRC-RESUME WRITING	03-14-2005	03-14-2005	P	C	P	2
ALP	CRC-JOB SEARCH	01-10-2005	01-10-2005	P	C	P	2
ALP	GENERAL IND. OUTREACH TRAINING	08-30-2004	11-30-2004	P	C	P	10
ALP	CRC-JOB FAIR	12-15-2004	12-15-2004	P	C	P	5
ALP	CRC-INTERVIEWS	12-08-2004	12-08-2004	P	C	P	2
ALP	CRC-CAREER INVENTORY	10-25-2004	10-25-2004	P	C	P	2
ALP	REFRESHER COURSE COLLEGE PREP	06-05-2004	08-28-2004	P	C	P	22

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TRANSACTION SUCCESSFULLY COMPLETED

Career Resource Center

Mock Job Site Exercise of December 15, 2005

Congratulations to each of the participants in the mock job site exercise on December 15, 2005. The following is the ranking of the participants in their overall performance.

Top 5 applicants:

name	percentage	total points out of total possible points of 172
John Cooley	94%	162
Carlos Velarde	94%	161
Darrin Robinson	92%	158
Donald Bradley	89%	153
James Thomas	88%	151
	84%	144
	78%	135
	77%	133
	75%	129
	69%	118
	69%	118
	60%	103

The job openings would have been offered to the top 2 applicants, but everyone had the opportunity to learn something about themselves and from the exercise!



INTERNATIONAL COLLEGE OF BIBLE THEOLOGY

OFFICE OF THE DEAN

HOME MISSIONS: CORRECTIONS

"TO KNOW HIM AND TO MAKE HIM KNOWN"

PROFILE FOR 1st & 2nd Year

Name: John H. Cooley Jr.

Inmate ID: 20139-068

Location:

USP - Allenwood/Hazleton

Course Number	Old Number	Title	Date Completed	Grade	Credit	Notes
BNT-100	—	New Testament Survey I			3.0	
BNT-110	BI-102	Between the Testaments			3.0	
BNT-214	BI-204	The Gospels (was NT-I)			3.0	
BNT-215	BI-203	General Epistles			3.0	
BOT-111	—	Old Testament Survey I			2.0	
BOT-121	BI-101	Old Testament Studies I			3.0	
BOT-122	—	Old Testament Survey II			3.0	
BOT-232	BI-201	Old Testament Studies II			3.0	
BPA-111	PT-101	Foundations of Faith I	11-19-04	B+	3.0	
BPA-131	PT-112	Prayer I	6-30-5	A	3.0	
BPA-222	PT-214	Foundations of Faith II			3.0	
BPA-240	PA-203	Preparation for Ministry I			3.0	
BTH-101	PA-106a	Obedience			3.0	
BTH-106a	HT-120a	Bible Doctrines I	1-25-5	A	1.5	3.0
BTH-106b	HT-120b	Bible Doctrines II	3-22-5	A	1.5	3.0
BTH-121	HT-130	Systematic Theology I			3.0	
BTH-232	HT-211	Systematic Theology II			3.0	
CED-111	PA-106	Life Management I (2 parts)			3.0	
MIS-111	PT-124	Introduction to Evangelism			3.0	
ELECTIVES						
BOT-230	HT-105	O.T. Men & Women of Faith			3.0	
BPA-120	PT-201	Praise Life			3.0	
BPA-232	PT-150	God's Authority in the Believer			3.0	
BPA-250	PT-212a	Armorbearer			3.0	
BPA-260	PT-212b	Awareness of Church Government			3.0	
BTH-241	—	Introduction to Bible Theology I			3.0	
BTH-252	—	Introduction to Bible Theology II			3.0	
BTH-270	HT-401a	The Holy Spirit			3.0	
CED-211	PT-312	Organization of Christian Education			3.0	

We reserve the right to substitute equal credit courses as necessary. The student must have completed 72 hours for this section.
(Updated 6-24-2003 to reflect new course numbers & descriptions. All previous forms should be destroyed.)



UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

MEMORANDUM

United States Penitentiary, Allenwood, PA.

October 28, 2004

MEMORANDUM FOR **JOHN H. COOLEY JR. #20139-068**

FROM: R. M. Mudge, Safety Manager

SUBJECT: OSHA Outreach Training Program Test Results

Congratulations, you have passed the OSHA Outreach Training Program Test with a score of **88%**. You should take great pride in this accomplishment.

Within the next 6-8 weeks, we should be receiving the certificates from OSHA, as well as an identification card showing completion of the course. Both will be provided to you by this office.

Thank you for your interest in this class, and if you have any questions, please feel free to contact me.

*Certification of
Completion*

Awarded to:

John H. Cooley Jr.

For participation in the VSP Allenwood

Job Interview Seminar

Given this day December 8th, 2004

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